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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:
Vipul Shah

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For: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR
BALANCING TCP/IP WORKLOAD
OF MULTI-PROCESSOR SYSTEM
BASED ON HASH BUCKETS

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Dear Examiner:

In response to the Office Action of June 28, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.